

## Engineer Working on New C.P.R. Cut Off Meets with Serious Accident

### Right Hand Badly Crushed And Has to be Amputated

An accident of a most serious and painful nature befell Mr. Ramsey, about four o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Ramsey was performing his duty as engineer in charge of the Ledger-Wood, a coal drifter, working on the new Bassano-Swift Current cut-off, about four miles out, and from some cause not yet known, accidentally caught his hand between the wire cable and the wincher and as a result severed the hand that immediate amputation was necessary.

The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Harris at his surgery on Second Avenue. Mr. Ramsey then proceeded to Medicine Hat for hospital attention.

## REBEKAH'S SECOND ANNUAL "AT HOME"

MASONS AND ODDFELLOWS ENTERTAINED

### Dragmen Disabled; Want Protection

36. Yeo Addressed Council on Behalf of Dragmen

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## SOCIAL LIFE IN THE MIDST OF WARFARE



While human beings are being mowed down by the thousand and the noise and excitement permeate the atmosphere of Mexico, Madam Senne, Quere, wife of the iron-faced dictator, spends time to do the social honors incumbent upon her position. In the above picture she is seen (without fail) at a reception, in the presence of the members of the diplomatic corps. As this picture was taken she was talking to Madam Montreux, wife of the French minister. The hostess is now being violently attacked by the band leader, whose wife may replace Madam Harris.

The band leader has only been married a short while. It will be remembered that a few months ago he was a woman who met his fancy, whereupon he visited her in true bandit fashion, took her forcibly, and had the ceremony performed almost before the woman realized what had happened.

## BON TON RESTAURANT AND ADJOINING LAUNDRY GUTTED IN EARLY MORNING BLAZE

### FIRE HAD GAINED GOOD HEADWAY BEFORE ALARM WAS GIVEN BUT THE RAPID WORK OF THE FIREMEN SOON SUBDUED THE FLAMES—CHINAMEN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Many of the residents of Bassano were awakened from their slumber in the early hours of Tuesday morning when the Bon Ton Cafe and adjoined laundry were almost reduced to ashes.

It is supposed the conflagration originated in the laundry and was not noticed until that building was well involved.

The alarm was given about 3:15 a.m. by Mr. Leeson, the night telephone operator, who phoned the fire hall, but getting no reply down the next best thing by calling up a neighboring hotel and asking the night porter to ring the fire-alarm bell, which was speedily responded to.—The volunteer Fire Brigade were assembled in double-quick time and soon settled down to their hazardous and dangerous task, but before the fire had taken a good hold.

Both places were occupied by Chinamen, who consider themselves at a great loss owing to much paper money being upon the premises. There was also a great quantity of silver coin lost, some of which has been recovered, and the quantity of wearing apparel destroyed may never be known.

Life to the Fire Brigade's credit that damage to neighboring property was prevented, and word of praise for the prompt, skillful and willing way they fought the flames, would not be wasted.

It is reported that both buildings are fully insured.

There were many Chinamen sleeping on the premises at the time of the outbreak and how they managed unharmed, seems nothing less than a miracle.

Larry Sam, of the Bon Ton Cafe, informed the Mail reporter that he is making immediate preparations to carry on his business as usual.

## Seeding Conditions Good in Alberta

### Good Authorities Predict Twenty-five per cent. Over Last Year

If the present warm weather continues, seeding will be general throughout the southern part of Alberta.

Last year's yield for Alberta was 80,000,000 bushels of grain, and good authorities state if the present weather keeps up there will be an increase of 20 to 25 per cent over last year.

Last fall farmers took advantage of the open weather, which lasted well into January, to break their soil, and this will no doubt be put into crop this spring.

Seeding commenced on a small scale a few weeks ago, and a good blanket of snow protected it from past cold snap, so the damage will be very small.

The snowfall was described by experts as being beneficial to the soil as the conditions under which it disappeared—warm weather and a strong easterly wind—were the measure a good chance to keep well into the soil.

A good crop is expected under the present conditions.

## Big Farm Transaction At Grassy Lake

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The latest and most up-to-date information on the market is at 15 or 25 cents per place—Smith & Cooper, Ltd.

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## IMPORTANT BUSINESS DISPOSED OF BY COUNCIL

### Tenders to be Issued For Building of Gas Works—Hospital Plans Approved—Fair Hired Deans Granted Board of Trade

The regular monthly meeting of the Bassano Town Council was held on Monday night last in the town hall.

Mayor Price in the chair and Councillors: Taylor, Connolly, Travis, Purcell and Struthers present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the clerk, and on motion were unanimously accepted.

The question of water rate asked for by the C.P.R. was taken up. Mr. Birmingham, a representative of the C.P.R., asked permission to address the Council concerning the matter, which they would use as a guide in a quantity of water while the gravel pit was in operation, which would only be for a few months; after the pit closed there would only be a few locomotives taking water. And that he would like to have a rate for six months, with the privilege of extending.

This was carried.

A motion was made by Coun. Taylor and seconded by Coun. Purcell that a rate of \$120 per month, for six months use of water for construction purposes on Bassano-East line and the privilege of extending such term be granted. This was carried.

The next matter taken up was the gas question, which took considerable time. Mr. Martin of the International Supply Co., Medicine Hat, was present and was asked to address the Council concerning the drilling of wells, in which he gave good advice. He said they should drill, at least, 1,500 feet to insure a good flow and thought it would be unwise to go farther than 3,000 feet, owing to the kind of earth around Bassano. He also advised them that a good distance from old well. Also that the rate for drilling 2,000 feet would be a good deal less than for 1,500 and that the latter should be sufficiently deep to produce a good flow.

Mr. Price of Calgary was also present and gave out some good information, and finally answered many questions asked by the Council and the audience. Mr. Martin's statement.

A motion was made by Coun. Taylor and seconded by Coun. Purcell that the town apply for specified sealed tenders for two six inch wells, one at a maximum depth of 1,500 feet, and the other at 2,000 feet, and that tenders to be in by later than April 27th—passed.

A letter was read from Mr. Torgan regarding the license fee of \$5.00 for every adult male, which he thought was not right as he was already paying a straight license for his theatre and thought it sufficient.

A motion was made by Coun. Connolly and seconded by Coun. Purcell that J. Torgan be exempt from the five dollar tax as his theatre is licensed sufficiently to carry.

In the matter of buying a suitable home for the fire department, it was resolved to leave the matter over for the health committee to report.

The next matter taken up was that of Mr. G. A. Simon, in which he asked for paid advances on the city contract. Mr. Simon offered to put up bonds for same.

A motion was made by Coun. Travis and seconded by Coun. Struthers that it be granted if a satisfactory bond be put up—carried.

In the matter of the Bassano Brick Co. it was decided to leave this item over until next regular meeting.

A letter was read from the Minister of Public Works concerning Bassano's new Post Office in which it stated that money was receding the best attention.

In reference to the Board of Trade asking for \$400 to meet their expenses and to which Mr. C. T. Mitchell addressed the Council on behalf of the Board of Trade. Mr. Mitchell stated that as they had no good permanent secretary, they would like to have the money on hand to be able to pay his salary readily. Also that it cost them, a large sum, for example, this being the largest firm, and they would like to have some in reserve to meet requirements.

This was approved and resolved that the Board be given the four hundred dollars in quarterly payment, providing a statement be shown to Council every three months.

## Hog Cholera Checked In Nick of Time

### FIFTY HOGS DESTROYED

Dr. MacCormick, Govt. Inspector and Dr. Broman, Govt. Vet., made important discovery, in time and claim on thorough investigation that the fifty hogs disposed of are the only ones infected in this locality.

Dr. MacCormick claims that 75 per cent of the disease is caused from feeding hogs on rinds and refuse from imported American hams.

He would advise all hog raisers to be very careful not to mix rinds or other refuse from U.S. cured meats in their hog feed, as this would spread the disease and expense. And that every precaution should be taken to check this disease.

## Church Notice

### Church of the Blessed Virgin

Servies on Good Friday—Morning Prayer and Litany at 11; Services of Meditation at 2; Evening Prayer and Communion at 7:30.

Servies on Easter Sunday—Morning Prayer and Celebration of the Holy Communion at 11; Sunday School at 2:30; Evening Prayer and Communion at 7:30.

You will be heartily welcomed to the services.

The Officers of the Anglican Church Sunday School desire to thank Mrs. Bredin, Mrs. Struthers, Mrs. Holmes, and Mr. C. H. Mitchell for gifts of books to the Sunday School Library.

The English Church has lost a valued and able worker in Mr. E. A. Dyer, who was the organist at the Sunday evening services. Mrs. Dyer and children are spending the summer at the coast.

The next meeting of the Women's Auxiliary will be held at the Rectory on Wednesday, April 15th, at 8 o'clock.

## Mr. J. Kresk-manner of the Central Post Office wishes to announce that he is willing to meet Mike Salar on any date.

months. Also that the first quarter be paid immediately.

A number of bills were ordered to be paid at once on recommendation of the finance committee.

A letter was read from the John C. H. Engineering Co. requesting the payment of their bill or it would be left for collection.

By Coun. Taylor and seconded by Coun. Purcell that said bill be referred to financial committee for report, which was carried.

It was resolved to leave all petitions over until next meeting.

Two tenders were received for the construction of Engineer's residence at pump station. E. L. Skeritt \$1,500 and F. Soderquist 1,100.

Moved by Coun. Struthers and seconded by Coun. Purcell that the lowest tender be accepted. Carried.

It was moved and resolved that stock plans for a \$50,000 Cottage Hospital be accepted from Mr. E. H. Shaw, of Calgary for approval.

Resolved that Wallace Flanagan be appointed Deputy Mayor for the ensuing three months.

Council adjourned.

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## SETTLERS POURING INTO BASSANO

The movement of settlers to Canada is now on with a rush. A trainload of fifteen coaches arrived at North Portal recently with about eight-hundred people aboard, many of whom intended purchasing land; others bought last year and are now coming with their families to enter into occupation.

## FINE BASSANO HOTEL OPENS FOR BUSINESS UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

### Berkeley House is Equal in Every Respect to Best Hotels of its Size in New York City

The Berkeley Hotel at Bassano, which was recently taken over by a new company, is now running under the new management and prepares to give the best hotel service in every respect, similar to the best hotels of its class in New York city. The Berkeley Hotel was built a year ago on a site directly opposite the C.P.R. depot. While its equipment was at that time very complete, its management left something to be desired. Under the new direction it has adapted a policy of the most up-to-date service. There are 60 bedrooms, of which 40 have bath, and 20 are single rooms. There are also suites of three rooms and bath. An attraction for commercial men will be the



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Interior of Berkeley Hotel, Bassano

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Second Motorist—I know I can't; that's just my point.

The dear aunt was talking.

"You recall, that Jack Jack was asked the question of the engaged girl."

"Will his fate better than anybody's next to one."

"Mine." Indianapolis News.

**WOMAN IN TERRIBLE STATE**

Finds Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Cape Wolf, Canada.—"Last March was a complete wreck. I had given up all hope of getting better or living any length of time, as I was such a sufferer from female trouble. But I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and today I am in good health and a pair of twin boys two months old and growing lively. I surprised doctors and neighbors for they all knew what I was."

"Now I am healthy, happy and hearty, and owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you like. I think if more women used your remedies they would have better health." Mrs. T. C. Cook, Ltd. No. 7, Cape Wolf, P.E.I., Canada.

Because your case is different one, and doctors having done you no good, do not expect to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has remedied many cases of female ill health, and it may be exactly what you need.

The Pinkham record is a proud and positive one. It is a record of constant victory over the chronic ailments of women.

It is an established fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored health to tens of thousands of such suffering women. Why don't you try it if you need such a remedy?

W. N. U. 964

## THE NEW FLAG OF IRELAND.

Golden Sunburst on a Blue Ground  
Likely To Be Chosen.

What flag shall Ireland fly? This is a question that has been discussed in the Irish press since the late passage of the Home Rule Bill.

Probably no country has had more national flags than Ireland, for the old time flag the range of colors is by no means restricted. The most common without doubt, is the "Green and White," said to commemorate the cutting by James of a sunburst of mistletoe which had been bitten by a snake.

Then there is the golden sunburst upon a blue ground, emblem of Irish MacCannell's. Another (Irish), Blue was always Ireland's national color until 1799, when the United Irishmen, to signify the blending of north and south, evolved a national color of the blue, with a national emblem of blue and orange, namely, green.

The three golden crowns upon a blue ground is another emblem which has not been overlooked. The design appears to-day in the arms of the British Empire, and the three crowns are said to signify the three kingdoms of Denmark, Thiron and Norway.

Another flag was the emblem of Ireland from 1707 until 1847, when Henry VIII. of England established the harp for the three crowns, the emblem being the harp of the three crowns, which the three crowns should not be confused with the triple stars of the harp, with which at that time, Henry was not upon the best of terms.

Still another national device to be considered is the "Lamb Dearg" (red), which was a white ground, with a red cross, and a red cross, which, upon a white ground, was used by Shane and O'Rourke's armies that defeated Queen Elizabeth's forces.

But some of the 19th century saw the Irish flag in the arms of the British Empire, and the three crowns are said to signify the three kingdoms of Denmark, Thiron and Norway.

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"Fairies, Free and Fair"

BASSANO, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, APRIL 9TH, 1914

## "The New Hospital"

Now that the Bonds are sold, the Council will soon be proceeding with the work of erecting the Bassano Public Hospital. The Council will undoubtedly find that the completion of the work will mean the expenditure of considerably more than \$5,000, but once the start has been made it is to be hoped that the ratepayers will give their hearty approval to any further request for money which the Council may be compelled to make.

The Council must bear in mind however, that the ratepayers will have to be satisfied that the business of construction and equipment is being properly managed, and with this in view, it is to be hoped that the City Fathers will see to the appointment of a competent board of trustees or managers, in whom the tax payers will have implicit trust and confidence.

## "Protection (?)"

A resident of the town approached one of our licensed draymen the other day and requested a price for the moving of a building. The price was given promptly, and the resident thereupon went away and gave the job, at the same price, to one of his friends who owns a team but has no license. The drayman in question is not very well pleased, he paid his license for protection and the above is a sample of the "protection (?)" he gets.

## "One Evening Each Month"

On Wednesday evening last the Board of Trade was to have held its monthly meeting. The date happened to be April 1st, and for this reason the members may have thought it was an April-fool joke, the fact remains nevertheless that it was no joke. Several of the interested and thoughtful ones put in an appearance but there were not a sufficient number present to form a quorum, and the President was compelled to call the meeting off. The Board of Trade this year has started

off too well to be allowed to languish in this manner, and even though it is the first office, the members should not grow careless, but always bear in mind that there is a meeting of the Board on the first Wednesday in every month.—This night should therefore be reserved for the welfare of the town.

Members should also remember that the membership now numbers fifty-nine, and it takes twenty members to hold a meeting. Under the circumstances no one should disregard the monthly meeting meeting on the thought that "O well, there will be enough there without me."

The Mail suggests that the citizens of Bassano get together and organize a band as it would be a great factor in the coming celebrations, especially that of July first.

All that would be necessary would be to appoint a good instructor over a bunch of greenhorns for a short time. They would be competent in time for the first celebration.

The instruments would be a little draw back, but this could be easily overcome. For instance, a few entertainments by local talent, would be sufficient to purchase enough instruments for starting purposes.

There are other towns in this locality with a much smaller population and a good band. Why not Bassano?

## Comments

The waiting room in the C.P.R. depot would make our town think it was a lodging house—travelers on the night trains say the shunners are packed in like sardines.

The gum vending machine has invaded Bassano—Associated Charities may also locate.

Judging by the size of the tank in front of the "Berkeley" these days, it might not be out of place to say that this hostelry is doing good business.

While strolling south on Third Street the other night we saw a great illumination, and on investigation, lo! and behold, it was the C.P.R. station electric lighted.

It requires a strong poison for the killing of gophers—but very few promises will soon kill a business.

Things are warming up a little in Bassano, and those who had their shirts and collars scorched declare things a little too warm.

## The Bassano Time Table

| GOING WEST   |            |
|--|------------|
| No. 413  | 8:32 a.m.  |
| No. 2  | 10:01 a.m. |
| No. 13   | 2:23 p.m.  |
| GOING EAST   |            |
| No. 4  | 12:38 p.m. |
| No. 413  | 1:20 p.m.  |
| No. 13   | 4:20 p.m.  |
| BASSANO LOCAL  |            |
| Leaves Bassano, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:00 a.m.  |            |
| Arrives: Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays at 12:30.   |            |
| HUTTON STAGE   |            |
| For Hutton, Fawn, Rose, Igloo, Sunny Fork and Thompson, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:00 a.m. |            |
| DORRITY STAGE  |            |
| Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m.   |            |

## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, may homestead "a quarter section of available Dominion land in any of the Northwest Territories or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or sub-agency, for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of homesteader. Duties—Six months' residence upon settlement of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$20.00 per acre.

Duties—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry including the time required to run homestead patent, and cultivate fifty acres extra. A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years and cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$500.

W. W. COBY  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior  
N. B. Unpublished publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

## Business Cards

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Contractor and Builder

Estimates Given Plans Prepared  
Mill Work Ship Joining Painting  
Job Work promptly attended to  
Phone 183 Corner 4th St and 5th Ave

B. T. GRAY

Funeral Director and Embalmer  
Service Day or Night  
Bassano Furniture Store, 3 Ave.

E. A. Dyer

Barister, Solicitor, Notary Public  
BASSANO ALTA.

Burns & Mavor

Baristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Etc.  
Solicitors for—The Canadian Bank of Commerce, The Union Bank of Canada, Security Trust Company

MONEY TO LOAN

BASSANO ALBERTA

FRED OWEN Llew OWEN

OWEN BROS.

PAINTERS, SIGN WRITERS AND DECORATORS

Bassano PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services—11 a.m. 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.

PASTOR - Rev. J. A. CLAXTON

CHURCH of THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Corner 5th Avenue and 5th Street

Services—11 a.m. 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.

Rev. J. P. DINGLE - VICAR

Bassano Lodge

No. 55

A. F. & A. M.

Meets Fourth Tuesday of each Month

Visiting Brethren always welcome.

W. A. W. Hume, W. M. R. H. Stephens, Sec.

BASSANO LODGE No. 59 I.O.O.F.

Meets every Thursday evening in Holston's Hall. All members of the order are invited to visit with us.

W. Marchbank, H. G. E. M. McCarty, Rec. Sec.

FIRE ALARM CALLS.

Ward 1 (west of 4th St. and south of 4th Ave.)—Five bells, pause, then five more, etc.

Ward 2 (West of Fourth St. and north of Fourth Ave.)—Six bells.

Ward 3 (East of Fourth St. and South of 4th Ave.)—Seven bells.

Ward 4 (East of Fourth St. and North of Fourth Ave.)—Eight bells.

Practice Alarm—Three bells.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will not be responsible for any goods delivered to the employees without written authority.

J. McKinnery, General contractor.

Ensign

Cameras

Handiest and Cheapest Camera for the Amateur.

Why wait for spring when present weather doesn't hinder out-door work?

Films, developing paper and all kinds of "develops" sold, and films developed.

R. A. Bird

Studio Opposite Post Office

## COMFORT SHOES FOR



Don't Forget our Shoe Dept.—Our spring lines have not arrived yet but will soon be here.

Wall Paper! Wall Paper!

If you want to save money on your Wall Paper see us—we are going to clear out our stock.

Window Blinds

You will find in looking over our stock that we have a complete line of blinds in all lengths and shades.

We have taken over the agency in this district for "Master Mechanic" Overalls. We guarantee this to be one of the very best overalls on the market. We intend carrying nothing but the best lines as we find that a cheap overalls is a waste of money.

The Bassano Trading Co.

## Storm Windows and Storm Doors

We have Two Carloads in Stock at our Warehouse and Must Move.

Call and leave us your order or Phone 31.

Crown Lumber Company, Ltd.

Joe Wright, Local Manager

PHONE 91

SAILER BLOCK

THE

Bassano Tinsmithing & Plumbing Co.

Wish to announce that they have installed a skate grinding machine and guarantee a first class job

Be sure and call us for Plumbing and Repairing

R. C. Thompson - Manager

Bassano Cartage and Express Co.

Draying, Transferring and General Teaming of All Kinds Done Right.

ALL TELEPHONE ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED

Complete Equipment for Excavating. Special attention devoted to sand and gravel hauling.

Agents for The Continental Oil Company

W. J. YEO, Manager

Corner 2nd Ave. and 3rd St. East Phone - Office 40, House 114

Get Your Canadian Home

From the Canadian Pacific

Wonderfully fertile land is offered for sale by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at prices ranging from \$11.00 to \$30.00 per acre. There is no better agricultural land than this virgin Canadian soil. It is unsurpassed for all forms of agriculture, including grain growing, stock raising, dairying, poultry culture, vegetable growing, and general mixed farming. The lands are convenient to railways and markets, and are located in a country of low taxation and delightful climate.

Twenty Years to Pay Under the Company's new policy, no land is sold to speculators, but only to those who will occupy and improve it. The terms of sale are one-twentieth cash and the balance spread over twenty years with interest at six per cent. per annum.

Assistance to Farmers Under certain conditions the Company will advance a loan of \$2,000 to new settlers to be used in erecting a house and barn, fencing the land and sinking a well. This loan is repayable on the same terms as the purchase price. For illustrated literature, maps and full particulars apply to:

DEPARTMENT of NATURAL RESOURCES

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

CALGARY ALBERTA

## FAT'S QUICK LUNCH

TURKEY AT ALL HOURS

Fruits, Candy, Ice Cream, Etc. Greens in Season

MEALS 25c. up

WON GEE, Manager

PHONE 13

PHONE 91

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Bassano Tinsmithing & Plumbing Co.

Wish to announce that they have installed a skate grinding machine and guarantee a first class job

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R. C. Thompson - Manager

## Bassano Harness Shop

Dealers in Light and Heavy Harness, Horse Furnishing Goods, Saddles, Robes, Whips, Collars and Blankets. Just received a Large Shipment of Blankets from the manufacturers. Prices the lowest.

Clark's Famous Charcoal Heaters, to warm your feet.

A full line of Stock Food and Horse Medicines, such as Liniments, Balsam and all kinds of Gall Cures. REPAIRS NEATLY AND PROMPTLY DONE

C. Weisenburger - Proprietor

## The Bassano Bakery

Bread Shipped to all Points

Cakes Made To Your Order

Agents for

The Robin Hood Milling Co.

## TO OUR ADVERTISERS

Advertising bills are rendered monthly. If not paid within thirty days, the advertisement will be discontinued.

## MAIL PUBLISHING CO., LTD.

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ENAMEL WARE

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR STOCK

SOMETHING DIFFERENT

## Pierce Brothers Co.

Second Avenue

## LUMBER

Mills in British Columbia

Factory at Calgary

The best of Lumber. Lowest Prices. Square Deal.

Try Us.

Riverside Lumber Company Ltd.

JOHN GOLDEN, Manager





**LACES AND EMBROIDERIES**

THE very latest European novelties in laces and embroideries are here, and never has a season presented so many striking conceptions, a condition brought about through the largely increased demand for these goods.

*It is to be a lace year—that's sure, for fashion has never shown such continued favor for trimmings of the character before.*

The embroideries represent the most recent importations from Switzerland, the home of all good embroideries.

The range of variety is the largest we have ever offered, and prices are exceptionally moderate.

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**White Armenian Edgings,  
Beatings :: Valenciennes  
Lace :: Cotton Torchon  
Laces and Insertions.**

**All over Lace in White,  
Cream and Black.**

**Shadow Lace in White Ecru  
Dress Trimmings in variety  
of Colors**

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**E. F. PURCELL**

### The Easiest Way

(By Courtney Riley Cooper)

When we was kids, I remember a little girl with eyes o' blue, An' hair that looks just like th' gold O' sunshine rays; I tell yeh too, She can make my kid heart stir!

An' then when older days came long I sets walk along o' nights, Watchin' th' place where Mary lived, Waitin' 't see th' shine o' lights That told me, out there in th' blur O' snow an' darkness, she was there. I wonder what's become o' her?

But time went on an' Mary's eyes Dark as th' velvet coat o' night, Gave way to orbs o' other hue, O' hazel shade that sparkled bright, I loved awhile, an' quite true at! But when th' world keeps whirling on— I wonder what's become o' her?

An' while this life goes bumpin' by, While women what their darts that pain; I make some feller writhe an' squirm An' worship at their shins in vain— Far better than th' altered mirth Is jest o' kinda grin an' say: I wonder what's become o' her?

### BASSANO WRESTLER



### A CHALLENGE TO WRESTLERS

Mike Sofas, the local Greek wrestler (catch-as-catch-can), weight 150; wishes to announce that he is willing to match himself with any exponent, weight 180 lbs.

### Canadian Pacific

#### EASTER HOLIDAYS

For one and one third for round trip, all stations.

#### Port Arthur and West

Going dates

April 9th to 12th

For Further Particular Apply to Nearest Passenger Agent or to P. DAWSON, District Passenger Agent, Calgary

### NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE COURT OF CONFIRMATION OF THE "TAX ENFORCEMENT RETURN" OF THE TOWN OF BASSANO.

NOTICE is hereby given, that his Honor Judge Carpenter, by appointment, dated the 17th day of March, A.D. 1914, has appointed Friday, the 5th day of June, A.D. 1914, at the hour of 8 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Town Hall, in the Town of Bassano, in the Province of Alberta, as the time and place for holding a court of confirmation of the "Tax Enforcement Return" of the Town of Bassano for arrears of taxes due to the aforesaid Town to December 31st, A.D. 1913, under the provision of the Town Act, being Chapter Two (2) Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12.

Dated at Bassano, this 17th day of March, A.D. 1914.  
GEORGE B. R. BOND,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
Town of Bassano.  
BURNS & MAJOR,  
Solicitors for the Town of Bassano.

You will never be able to make one-half the world realize that it is none of its business how the other half lives.

### Jack Torgan "The Tailor"

Begs to announce that he is now ready for business.

First class Pressing & Cleaning

Second Ave. - Bassano

### S. A. HOBBS

All kinds of Excavating  
Gravel and Sand hauling a Specialty.  
Office and Stable

Coal and Wood Always on hand.  
Water Delivery.

PHONE 127

Third Avenue

## Easter is Here!

JUST ARRIVED

## Neckwear Novelties

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Pretty Medici Collars</b><br>Trimmed with White Dresden Ribbon<br>65c. - \$1.00             | <b>Bows</b><br>Satin Bows with Pretty Hand Printed Floral Effect, also Raised Flowers<br>75c. |
| <b>Lace Collars</b><br>Cream and White<br>35c.   | <b>Bows</b><br>Made of Shadow Lace and Velvet only<br>25c.                                    |
| <b>Net Collars</b><br>Very Delicate<br>35c.  | <b>Bandeaux</b><br>Just the thing for Evening Wear<br>50c.                                    |
| <b>Belts</b><br>Ladies' Colored Belts<br>2 in. wide, Cream White, Red, Black and Green<br>35c. | <b>Belts</b><br>Children's Buster Belts, Cotton and Leather. Assorted Colors<br>25c.          |
| <b>Flouncing</b><br>White and Brown, 1 1/2 in. wide per yd.<br>35c.                            | <b>Lace</b><br>2 1/2 in. wide with scallop edge per yd.<br>75c.                               |
| Children's Hats  | Large Variety   |

### EASTER MORN

Begin it right with Bacon and Eggs for Breakfast

Try Our **MILD CURED BACON**

Guaranteed NOT Salt

**STRICTLY FRESH EGGS**

ORANGES, APPLES, LEMONS  
and a Large Variety of High Class Groceries

**Hendry & Johnston**  
THE QUALITY STORE

## THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME—A GRAND PIANO FREE!

### Review of Contest

It is inaugurated by J. H. Stiles, the popular druggist in Bassano, and for the purpose of increasing his business; it was co-operated in by the "Mail," for the sake of publicity and an increase in its circulation.

It is undertaken at considerable expense, but we believe will be worth the while, for we anticipate great interest.

Votes count on all purchases made at J. H. Stiles, to the tune of one vote for every cent spent.

Votes count on all job work printed and purchased from the "Mail" to the extent of one vote for every cent.

Votes count on all cash advertising published in the columns of the "Mail," during the life of the contest.

Votes count on all paid in advance, and renewal subscriptions. These are the plums for each subscription counts 3000 votes; although it only costs one dollar. The intention of this is to give the candidate in the country, who cannot get into town and the drug store very often, an equal chance with her town competitor. A few subscriptions runned means a big jump ahead.

☞ Come to the "Mail" office and buy your coupon that can be used any time in advertising or job work, and which carries votes when purchased and votes when traded.

### YOURS FOR THE ASKING PLUS A LITTLE ENERGY

J. H. Stiles, the druggist has arranged with the Mail to co-operate with him in presenting you with this handsome instrument.

See paragraph of instructions below and find out exactly what you have to do, and if there is any misty point see Stiles and he will explain it.

**THIS PIANO IS A MAGNIFICENT UPTON GRAND**

Contest Open Mon. Nov. 24



Contest Closes Eve. May 23

### Description of Piano

The piano has 7 1/2 octaves, repeating action, three pedals, full iron frame covering wrest plank, and built up pin block of five different layers of hard maple, direction of grain alternating in successive layers to prevent to the greatest possible extent, the piano getting out of tune.

The three strings in unison with over string bass, splendidly pitched scale and excellent sounding board, produces the rich, deep, even tone peculiar to the Upton Piano, and so much striven for by manufacturers of high-class instruments. The brackets, pedal guards, hammer rail, and continuous hinges are all heavily nickel-plated. The case itself is highly polished, making a first-class artistic instrument in finish, appearance and tone.

By comparison this Piano, will be found better, heavier and more artistic than most pianos on the market today. Each instrument is fully warranted.

### Manufacturers' Warrant

The above Piano is warranted to give perfect satisfaction for a period of ten years, provided it is not exposed to extreme of heat, cold, wet or dampness.

### Rules of the Game

- Name of contestant will not be known.
- Name of contestant will not be published.
- Every contestant is credited with 2000 votes to start with.
- Every contestant gets a number.
- Standing of contestants' number published weekly.
- All votes must be brought in for recording on Wednesday.
- Votes must not be written upon.
- Tie votes in packages with the contestant's number and the amount on top slip only.
- Color of votes will change and must be recorded weekly.
- Votes are transferable only before recording.
- Contestant having the largest amount of votes on May 23, wins the Piano.
- Contestants not bringing in personal votes will be dropped.

Be Sure and Ask for Your Piano  
Votes With Every Purchase.

☞ Cut out this coupon and present it at J. H. Stiles' Store, and he will exchange it for one thousand votes in the \$400 Piano Contest.

Contestants get busy Contest is nearing Completion **10,000 Votes** for one Subscription







If you need anything in men's wear, remember **E. R. MUIR'S** the store where you get the big \$\$ worth

### Heard on the Street

Mrs. Bartlett was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Padley this week.

Phone your wants to 144—Smith & Cooper.

Albert Williams of Elkhorst, Man., arrived in Bassano last week and has accepted a position as barber at King's Pool Room.

The Ladies' Fortnightly Club will give their next dance on Monday evening, April 13th. All members of the club who have helped or attended during the season are cordially invited.

Mrs. Heather of Brooks visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Padley this week.

Owing to the winter waste of water the town has found it necessary to install water meters in all places connected with last fall, and hope this will have the desired result in making users more economical.

**NOTICE**—Obtain all information possible regarding insurance from local agents, then call up your friend in Calgary or the Hat and place insurance—this procedure is bound to help your town financially.—Adv.

### Horses For Sale

Several young teams, well bred Percherons, weighing 1200 to 1600 lbs., for sale reasonable. Also a few mares with colts. Bassy, Box 173, Bassano or Ranch 226, H17, W4.

### Bailiff's Sale

We have seized under certain chattel mortgage No. 4396, dated the 12th day of November, 1913, and made between Kenneth Murphree and William Hance both of Bassano, Alberta, agent as mortgage, and Harold V. Louis of Calgary, Alta., liquidator as mortgagee, all the goods and chattels taken in rental of the goods and chattels in the said chattel mortgage mentioned, which we will offer for sale at the Bassano Carriage Co.'s warehouse, on Friday the 17th of April, at 10 o'clock a.m.

1 Hall-Morris safe, 1 roll-top office desk, 1 Remington typewriter, 3 office files, 1 filing cabinet, 1 heating stove, 1 show case, 1 gasoline lamp, 1 Dwyer oil tank and pump, 1 Chapin 2-h.p. engine, 1 pressure water tank with fittings and hose, 1 steel barrel, 2 bench vices, 1 set of tapes and dies, 1 set of socket wrenches, 1 blacksmith's forge, 1 anvil, 1 leather tool bag, 1 set of tire splices, 1 set of vulcanizers, 1 sickle engine, 1 double action steam pump, 1 revolving office chair, 1 Chas. automobile, 1 E.M.F. automobile, 2 boxes of Ford fittings, also a miscellaneous lot of tools and fittings.

Dated at Bassano this 7th day of April 1914.

F. S. STALLIE

STALLIE & GRAHAM, Bailiffs, Loughheed, Bennett McLean & Co., Barristers, Calgary, Attorneys for Harold V. Louis, Liquidator, Bassano, Well-drilling and Automobile Co., Ltd.

**In the District Court of the District of Calgary**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JACOB KUNEMANN, late of the town of Bassano, in the Province of Alberta, deceased**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY given** that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late JACOB KUNEMANN, who died on the 17th day of September, A.D. 1913, are required to send to GEORGE MANFORD PIERCE and HENRY CHARLES STRANGE, executors, of BASSANO, in the Province of Alberta, on or before the 1st day of June, A.D. 1914, a full statement of their claims and any securities held by them, duly verified, and that after that date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the said GEORGE MANFORD PIERCE and HENRY CHARLES STRANGE, the executors of the said estate.

Dated at Calgary, this 6th day of April, A.D. 1914.

GEORGE MANFORD PIERCE  
HENRY CHARLES STRANGE  
Executors  
BURNS & MAYOR  
Solicitors for the said Executors

### Easter at McKee's

Fresh Cut Flowers

A Large Selection of Hot House Pot Plants in Bloom

Choice Sunkist Oranges 20c. per doz.

Save Your Wrappers

Grape Fruit 10c. each

**Ice Cream Parlor**

**Now Open**

### Miscellaneous

Read this column carefully. There may be something you want to buy, and can get at bargain prices.

**FOR SALE**—One Clinton Will Building Units. Cost \$1,300, price \$900. F.O.B. Carleton Place. \$50 will put sig in AT center. Address, Box 31, Carleton Place, 25-p

**FOR SALE**—Good quality gold coin sugar and oats—two new Swedish varieties—sugar yielders and very hard seed sown by early frost. Particulars, samples and prices upon application to H. Van Grind Ry, Tilley Station, Alta.

### NOTICE

All storage unleased for before May 6, will be sold at public sale. Sale will take place at Mrs. McDonald's Storage Rooms near Berkeley Hotel.

**FOUND**—A bay horse—weight about 1200, branded on right hip 2E, also brand on left shoulder which is indistinct. Owner may have same by paying for this Ad. and suitable reward and cost of keeping. Information Box 131, 25-p

**CLOTHES FOR MEN**—We are analyzing the men of Bassano and district with our made to measure suits. Perfect fit guaranteed, and all goods tailored in the very best manner.—The Bassano Trading Co. 25-4f

### For Rent or Sale

Six good plastered houses, concrete foundations, good cellars, plenty of good water—see first 25 sale on easy terms. Apply to A. M. Bartlett, corner 5th ave. and 7th st.

### Help Wanted

Good man, animal work would like position near town. Have had years of experience with horses and cattle. R. Ware, General Delivery, Bassano, 16.

## STILES "The Druggist"

We Believe That

## Royal Purple Stock Specific

is the best Stock Food money can buy

We have sold several different kinds of Stock Food, but have never received as strong recommendations from our customers for any of the others that we have for **Royal Purple**.

If you have never tried it, test it on your horses during the heavy spring work. We are sure the result will satisfy you.

### Piano Vote Special

During the week **April 13th to 18th** we will give

**25,000 Votes**

With every 80c. purchase of **ROYAL PURPLE** preparations

The **REXALL** Store, The Best Drug Store

### W. A. W. HAMES

Fire, Life, Accident, Automobile and Live Stock

### INSURANCE

Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Conveyancer

OFFICE, OVER MUIR'S STORE

## Bassano Shoe Hospital

(JOHNSON BLOCK)

If your boots have sprung a leak

And a repairer now you seek—Give us a trial

Best Leather Used

All Work Guaranteed

## CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS ATTENTION!

It will be to YOUR ADVANTAGE to have

Harry Ford

Manager

Atlas Lumber Co.

FACTORY ON YOUR NEW BUILDING

A Carload of High Class Finish Will Arrive in April

Satisfaction Guaranteed

## TO THOSE IN THE PIANO RACE

To add incentive and impetus to the contest for the handsome Upton Piano, being given away by J. H. Stiles, we beg to announce that we have made provision for the issuing of a series of **Due Bills**, which carry votes when bought and votes when traded.

We have printed a neat certificate, of fifty cent denomination, which when purchased will give the contestant five hundred votes.

It can be made to apply later either in the purchase of subscriptions, job printing or advertising, and will carry a further five hundred votes when so traded in. In reference to subscriptions it means that each subscription of one year, will be worth 4000 votes.

There is no limit to the due bills, candidates or their friends may purchase.

The standing below shows that the contest is beginning to awaken widespread interest as we predicted, and it behoves everyone to put all their energy into the struggle.

## STANDING OF CONTESTANTS 19th WEEK

See your friends and get them to purchase Due Bills from the "Mail" in anticipation of the printing stationery they will be needing soon.

| NO. | 8.         | 2,157,570. | NO. | 56.        | 1,366,235 |
|-----|------------|------------|-----|------------|-----------|
| 12. | 2,185,245. |            | 58. | 1,787,705. |           |
| 14. | 1,898,355. |            | 64. | 2,475,060. |           |
| 17. | 2,519,400. |            | 68. | 2,360,945. |           |
| 21. | 1,434,900. |            | 70. | 1,675,705. |           |
| 24. | 3,527,985. |            | 83. | 2,023,360. |           |
| 27. | 2,377,670. |            | 84. | 2,120,000. |           |
| 38. | 2,163,830. |            | 88. | 2,018,265. |           |
| 40. | 2,673,455. |            | 93. | 2,224,485. |           |
| 44. | 2,829,590. |            | 94. | 2,338,575. |           |
| 47. | 3,550,090. |            | 95. | 2,012,275. |           |
| 53. | 3,986,305. |            | 15. | 2,409,665. |           |

The subscription getter is the one who is the factor in this contest. You can procure Due Bills that will apply on subscription and are invaluable for votes.

## Remember

- for -

**\$1.00 PER YEAR**

you can procure the paper that will give you each week what you want to know of Bassano and District

## Bassano Mail